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Carolina Central Railway Company

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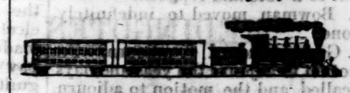

SCHEDULE.

PASSENGER TRAINS

LEAVE WILMINGTON DAILY (Except Sundays) at..... 8:00 A M
Arrive at Wadesboro at..... 5:25 P M
Leave Wadesboro at..... 7:10 A M
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 4:35 P M

FREIGHT TRAINS.

Leave Wilmington daily (except Sundays)..... 6.00 A M
Arrive at Laurinburg at..... 5:30 P M
Leave Laurinburg at..... 5:00 A M
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 5.30 P M

PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Charlotte daily, Sundays excepted, at..... 8.00 A M
Arrive at Buffalo at..... 12.00 M
Leave Buffalo at..... 1.00 P M
Arrive at Charlotte at..... 5.15 P M

Irregular Lumber and Timber Trains run on both portions of the Road as the business requires.

A Daily Stage will soon run in connection with the trains on both ends of this Railway.

S. L. FREMONT,
Chief Engineer and Sup't.
may 19 311-tf

Piedmont Air-Line Railway.

Richmond and Danville, Richmond and Danville R. W., N. Division, and North Western N. C. R. W.

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Condensed Time Table.

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In effect on and after Sunday, *Dec.* 7, 1873.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXPRESS
Leave Charlotte.....	7.00 P. M	8 35 A. M.
" Air Line J'nct'n	7.15 "	8.50 "
" Salisbury.....	10.09 "	10.47 "
" Greensboro,...	2,15 A. M.	1.15 P. M.
" Danville.....	5.28 "	3,27 P. M.
" Burkville.....	11.40 "	8.06 "
Arrive at Richmond..	2.32 P. M	11 02 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXPRESS
Leave Richmond.....	1.48 P. M	5.03 A. M.
" Burkville.....	1.58 "	8.28 "
" Danville.....	9.52 "	1.03 P. M.
" Greensboro....	1.16 A. M	4 00 "
" Salisbury.....	3.56 "	6.33 "
" Air Line J'nct'n	6.22 "	8 53 "
Arrive at Charlotte..	6.30 A. M	9 00 "

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	
Leave Greensboro'...	2 00 A. M	.....
" Co. Shops	3.55 "	.....
" Raleigh.....	8.30 "	.....
Arrive at Goldsboro'.	11.40 A. M	.....

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	
Leave Goldsboro'....	6.00 P. M	.....
" Raleigh.....	6.00 "	.....
" Co. Shops	10 28 "	.....
Arrive at Greensboro'	12.30 A.M	.....

North Western N, C. R. R

(SALEM BRANCH.)

Leave Greensboro..... 4:50 P M
Arrive at Salem..... 6.25 P M
Leave Salem..... 8:00 A M
Arrive at Greensboro..... 10:00 A M

Mail trains daily, both ways.

On Sundays Lynchburg Accommodation leave Richmond at 9.42 a. m., arrive at Burkville 12 45 p. m., leave Burkville 5.35 a. m., arrive at Richmond 8.44 a. m.

Pullman Palace Cars on all night trains between Charlotte and Richmond, (without change.)

For further information address

S. E. ALLEN,
General Ticket Agent.
Greensboro, N. C.

T. M. R. TALCOTT,
Engineer and Gen'l Superintendant.
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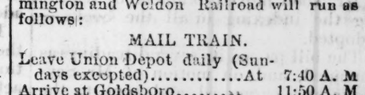
RAIL ROADS.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R. Company.

GEN. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct., 11, 1873.



CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE WILL go into effect at 4:30 A. M., Sunday, 14th inst.

DAY EXPRESS TRAIN. (Daily.)

Leave Wilmington..... 4:30 A. M
Arrive at Florence..... 10:10 A. M
Arrive at Columbia..... 3:00 P. M
Arrive at Augusta..... 8:00 P. M.
Leave Augusta..... 4:30 A. M.
Leave Columbia..... 10:20 A. M
Arrive at Florence..... 2 48P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington..... 10:00 P. M

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

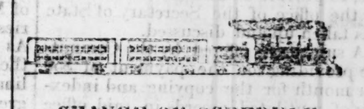
Leave Wilmington..... 6:10 P. M
Arrive at Florence..... 11:28 P. M
Arrive at Columbia..... 4 00 A. M
Arrive at Augusta..... 8:45 A. M.
Leave Augusta..... 4:15 P. M
Arrive at Columbia..... 8:45 P. M
Arrive at Florence..... 2:02 A. M
Arrive at Wilmington..... 7:10 A. M

Passengers leaving Wilmington on the 6:10 P. M. train make close connection going South.

JAMES ANDERSON,
Gen'l Sup't.
oct 11 124-tf

Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Company.

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 24, 1873.



CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER OCT. 26th, INSTANT PASSENGER TRAINS on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad will run as follows:

MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Union Depot daily (Sundays excepted)..... At 7:40 A. M
Arrive at Goldsboro..... 11:50 A. M
Rocky Mount..... 2:00 P. M
Weldon..... 3:50 P. M
Leave Weldon daily (Sundays excepted)..... At 9:50 A. M
Arrive at Rocky Mount..... 11:35 A. M
Goldsboro..... 1:37 P. M
Union Depot..... 5:50 P. M

EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leave Union Depot daily... At 11:10 P. M
Arrive at Goldsboro..... 3:50 A. M
Rocky Mount..... 6:03 A. M
Weldon..... 8:00 A. M
Leave Weldon daily..... 7.50 P. M
Arrive at Rocky Mount..... 9:43 P. M
Goldsboro..... 11:55 P. M
Union Depot..... 4:30 A. M

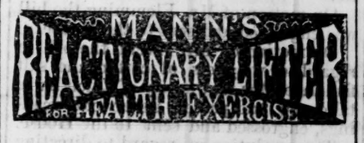
Mail Train makes close connection at Weldon for all points North *via* Bay Line and Acquia Creek routes.

Express Train connects only with Acquia Creek route. PULLMAN'S PALACE SLEEPING CARS ON THIS TRAIN.

FREIGHT TRAINS will leave Wilmington tri-weekly at 6.00 A. M., and arrive at 1.40 P. M.

EXPRESS FREIGHT TRAINS will leave Wilmington daily (Sundays excepted) at 2:00 P. M., and arrive at 5:30 P. M.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
General Superintendent.
oct 24 136 tf



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is so constructed that even a child can instantly adjust it for a person to lift any weight, from twenty to twelve hundred pounds.

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The Largest Stock Brought to this Market.

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5,000 sacks Salt;
8,000 bushels Corn;
1,000 bushels Oats;
300 bales Hay;
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300 rolls Bagging;
1,000 bundles Ties;
800 Spirit Casks;
250 barrels Glue;
1,000 bundles Hoop Iron;
200 papers Rivets;
150 boxes Cheese;
125 barrels Mullets;
800 barrels Flour;
65 boxes Dry Salt Sides;
100 boxes Smoked Sides and Shoulders.
125 barrels Sugar;
400 bags Coffee—all grades;
125 boxes Tobacco;
30 barrels and half barrels Snuff;
100 boxes and barrels Crackers;
50 cases Snuff;
75 barrels Rice;
200 cases Brandy Peaches;
150 cases Schnapps;
150 dozen buckets;
50 boxes Candy;
125 boxes Candles, &c.

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F. W. KERCHER.
oct 27 119—

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THE EVENING POST has a fine city circulation and is, consequently, a first class advertising medium. Merchants take THE POST home to their families to read the news of the day, and is oft seen by most of the leading people of the city.

The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday, December 20th, 1873.

A hypochondriac may smile at the satire of the Hon. A. M. Waddell's letter; but the spectacle of that Legislature which has passed the ku klux amnesty act, and descended to the dirty work of gerrymandering, lecturing on propriety and morality, is mirth for the devil.

The Repeal of the Bankrupt Act.

Have the advocates of repeal considered the consequences? Have they considered that debt may yet be contracted and misfortunes and casualties beyond their control may render the debtor unable to pay, and that the debtor will be in the power of his creditor and no means of discharge? It is provided in the Constitution that Congress may establish a uniform system of Bankruptcy. The framers of the Constitution contemplated its continual existence as much as they contemplated the continuance of the Supreme, Circuit and District Courts. If there is any feature in the present Bankrupt law that works a hardship, amend it, we say, but let us consider well before we put the debtor class at the mercy of the heartless creditor.

It is true that State laws may be passed by which the debtor may be relieved, but it must be remembered that State legislation cannot go beyond State lines. A debtor who owes one in New York, cannot, if sued in New York Courts, plead his discharge in Bankruptcy in North Carolina under North Carolina laws. It is the Broad *National* Bankrupt Act that alone under the Constitution of the United States that can shield him. We throw out these suggestions for the consideration of those who now have, or may hereafter have an interest in this question.

Deficiency in National Revenue.

Certain newspapers, whose editors either from inability or laziness, can not investigate the state of trade and the condition of the country, are abusing the administration for the deficiency in the revenue of the general government. It is doubtful whether some of them know whence the money comes which carries on the government. To such we will state that it comes from taxes levied on business. These taxes are laid on foreign importations, and collected by the Customs, or on what is manufactured in the United States, or some transactions in business.

The custom duties for the year ending the last of June, were one hundred and eighty-eight millions of dollars. Those duties were collected in gold, and the premium for which a part of this amount was sold, and the amount itself was two-thirds of the government revenue that year, and paid more than two-thirds of the expenses. The importations have largely fallen off since September, from the fact that in a financial stringency, people mainly dispense with those articles which come from abroad. Another reason is, that a large stock of many foreign goods were unsold when the panic come on us. Revenue from this source has fallen short, because importations were not made to collect on, and not because of any bad management of the administration.

The war cloud which but lately appeared above our horizon, was the cause of large expenditures, which were unusual and have to be met. All expenditures are made in accordance with appropriations, made last winter, and no opportunity has been offered to cut them down. The administration can no more be blamed than individuals, who have failed during the past three months to meet all their engagements; and the brazen impudence of those small politicians who are attempting it, deserve the contempt of all fair minded men.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

[Condensed from the Raleigh News.]

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

SENATE.

THURSDAY, Dec. 18.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock, Lieut. Gov. Brogden in the chair.

Mr. Cunningham announced that the Principal Clerk of the Senate was detained at his room by sickness.

Mr. King desired that the journals should be so amended as to show that he did not refuse to vote on the civil rights resolution, stating that he was in the lobby taking medicine, &c. Otherwise, the journal of yesterday was approved.

Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Merrimon: A bill to amend section 11, chapter 19, laws of 1371–'72. Placed on the calendar.

By Mr. Johnson: A bill to authorize the commissioners of Washington county to issue bonds. Referred.

By Mr. Murphy: A bill to amend section 72, chapter 17, of Battle's Revisal. Referred.

By Mr. Norwood: A bill to amend sub-division 2, section 31, chapter 17, of Battle's Revisal. Referred.

By Mr. Waring: A bill for the election of Judges and for other purposes. Referred.

By Mr. Cunningham: A resolution of instructions to North Carolina representatives in Congress, requesting them to vote against any increase on the tax on manufactured tobacco. The rules were suspended and the resolution adopted.

Special Order.

The bill to lay off and establish a new county by the name of Jefferson, was taken up as the special order for 11½ o'clock.

On the motion of Mr. Welch to postpone the consideration of this bill till the 13th of January, Mr. Murphy argued in opposition. Messrs. Welch, Mabson and Gudger favored the postponement. The vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

Messages Received.

From the House, transmitting the Consolidation Bill back to the Senate with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, a special committee of three were appointed to consider the amendments, and the question of concurrence or non-concurrence be considered by them and reported to the Senate.

The President appointed on said committee, Messrs. Humphrey, Seymour and Morehead of Guilford.

At 1 o'clock, the Special Committee reported on the House amendments, recommending the concurrence in all except one. The report was adopted. The excepted amendment provides that if the Supreme Court should decide that any part of the bill is unconstitutional, the whole of it should be so considered.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, a message was sent to the House informing that body of the action of the Senate on the amendments, &c.

Rules Suspended.

On motion of Mr. Miller, Senate bill 132, to provide additional clerical force in the office of the Secretary of State was taken up and discussed.

A substitute offered by the Committee providing for the payment of $50 per month for the copying and indexing of mutilated records in said office was adopted.

The motion of Mr. Love to lay on the table failed.

Mr. Todd moved to amend by requiring the indexing of all the books.—Adopted.

The bill passed its several readings as amended, and on motion of Mr. Seymour was engrossed and sent to the House.

On motion of Mr. Norwood his bill to amend subdivision 2, sec. 31, chap. 17, of Battle's Revisal was taken up under a suspension of the rules.

The section of the bill is now amended so as to make its provisions apply to sureties on bonds as well as in favor of principals.

On motion of Mr. Cunningham the bill in relation to foreign insurance companies was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Welch the bill for relief of sheriffs and tax collectors was taken up and passed its several readings. Engrossed and sent to the House.

Mr. Nicholson called up his bill to make it a misdemeanor for any person who has executed a chattel mortgage or lien upon crops to dispose of the same, which passed its several readings.

Mr. Humphrey called up the bill in relation to the Western Division of the Western North Carolina Railroad, which passed its several readings. The bill repeals the law appointing a commission to settle up the affairs of the road, &c.

On motion of Mr. Flemming the bill was engrossed and sent to the House.

On motion of Mr. Avera, the bill in regard to weighers of cotton and salt fish inspector for the city of Raleigh was taken up and passed its several readings, engrossed and sent to the House.

The resolution in regard to directing and authorizing the Governor to withdraw the appeal taken by the State of North Carolina in the case of the Western North Carolina Railroad, now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States, was postponed till 11½ to-morrow.

Mr. Merrimon's bill to extend the Swannanoa Gap Turnpike Road, was on his motion, taken up, and pending discussion on the same, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Speaker Robinson called the House to order at 10:30 a. m.

Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

By Mr. Jones, of Orange, a resolution in relation to the pardon of Alexander Lineberry and Thomas Thorn. Calendar.

By Mr. Craige, a bill to cure certain irregular proceedings in the Probate Court. Referred.

By Mr. Gnythes, a bill to incorporate the town of Creswell, in the county of Washington. Referred.

By Mr. Haynes, a bill to amend chapter 175, laws of 1868-'9. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Paschall, the resolution instructing the Judiciary committee to consider the propriety of establishing a Bureau of Statistics and Immigration, was taken up and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of Mecklendburg, the bill in relation to providing arms for military schools, was taken up.

After a considerable debate, Mr. Dula moved to postpone until January 15th, which was put to a vote and rejected.

Mr. Bowman moved to postpone until the 14th of January. Yeas and nays were called, and the motion was rejected by a vote of yeas 46, nays 55.

The bill then passed its second reading by a vote of yeas 57, nays 43.

On motion of Mr. Johnston, the bill to amend the act to incorporate the Greenville & French Broad Railroad, was taken up and, after the adoption of sundry amendments, passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Bennett, the rules were suspended, and the bill to add certain section to Battle's Revisal passed sts several readings.

On motion of Mr. Norment, the bill regulating the terms of the Superior Courts in the 4th Judicial District, was taken up.

Mr. Bowman moved to postpone until Saturday, and to print.

Mr. Norment was opposed to anny postponement.

The motion to postpone and print, was put to a vote and rejected.

Mr. Bowman moved to indefinitely postpone.

Mr. Gorman moved to adjourn. On the motion to adjourn the yeas and nays were called, and the motion to adjourn was defeated by a vote of yeas 26, nays 68.

Mr. Bennett called the previous question. On the call for the previous question the yeas and nays were called, on the demand of Mr. Bowman, and the call was sustained by a vote of yeas 54, nays 42.

The question recurred upon Mr. Bowman's motion to indefinitely postpone, which was put to a vote and rejected. yeas 38, nays 53.

The questions recurred on the bill on its second reading, and it passed, yeas 59, nays 21.

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote.

Mr. Johnston moved to lay that motion on the table.

Pending the further consideration of the matter the House adjourned.

Circular Letter from Hon. A. M. Waddell.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14, 1873.

Dr. W. H. Howerton, Secretary of State:

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of certain resolutions adopted by the Legislature of North Carolina, duly certified by you, expressive of the sense of that body in regard to the action of Congress in passing the act of March 3d, 1873, relative to the salaries of Senators and Representatives. As there is no resolution requesting the Representatives from North Carolina to present the resolutions to Congress, I apprehend that you forward them to me only as an act of courtesy and as information. If I thought you had been instructed to forward them, this communication would have been addressed to those who instructed you.

It is gratifying to know that even the consideration of those vital questions which affect the credit and character of the people of North Carolina, and upon the settlement of which her future prosperity almost entirely depends, was made to yield to the higher question of national morals involved in the Congressional salary bill. Republican institutions are said to rest solely on the virtue and intelligence of the people, and therefore those who exercise the most assiduous guardianship over these two fundamental elements of free government are the truest friends of the people. If their motives are questioned, as seems to be inevitable, they can at least console themselves with the reflection that virtue is its own reward. I regret, however, that in this instance I am compelled to the conclusion that the resolutions of the Legislature can only be justified upon the very doubtful theory that the moral has kept pace with the material progress of our country, and that the political ethics of modern State legislators are purer and higher than those of the fathers of the Republic and all their successors down to the year of grace 1873. The members of the Legislature had the same right to pass these resolutions which any other assemblage of citizens elsewhere had, but no more. They could give no greater force or dignity to their sentiments, by reason of their position, than the same number of their fellow-citizens not intrusted with the responsibilities of office could; and, therefore, only as the utterance of a respectable number of gentlemen their resolutions are entitled to consideration. I have considered them, and in the exercise of my right as a freeman and of my duty as a Representative, responsible not to the Legislature, but to the people of the Third Congressional District, I shall make such response to them as seems to me to be proper.

The first resolution alleges that the action of Congress "was indefensible in principle and tended to bring our Government into disrepute." That is a very plain statement. Is it true? Let us see. What is the principle involved? If there is one it must be either a legal or a moral principle. There can be no other kind of "principle" in the case. The legal principle is established by the Constitution, or it does not exist. The Constitution expressly and exclusively vests in Congress the power to fix the compensation of members during their term of service. They can fix it at any time during their term—the first, the middle, or the last day of the term, and at any rate they choose. The Forty-second Congress, therefore, had a legal right to do what they did—a Constitutional right exercised in a Constitutional way. Any person who would deny this is not fit to be a legislator anywhere. Very well, their legal right is established. Let us now examine the moral right. What principle of morals did they violate? And how did their action "tend to bring our Government into disrepute?" Admitting the moral superiority of men elected by the people to the Legislature of North Carolina over men elected by the people to the Congress of the United Strtes, it will be difficult, I think, to show that even their superior moral sense ought to be shocked by the salary bill. The violation of good faith, first alleged against the Forty-second Congress, was that they had made an implied contract with the people to serve at a certain rate of compensation, and had violated that contract by increasing the rate. This statement—even if true, and it is not—involves an absurdity. In the first place, there was and could be no such agreement, but if there had been, and Congress had *reduced* my pay, instead of increasing it, would I have had legally or morally any right to complain? If there was an *agreement* I certainly would have had as much right to complain for the *reduction* as the people could have of the *increase*. But there could not be any such agreement; otherwise the pay never could be either increased or diminished.

Again, if there was a contract, such as alleged, have not the members of the Forty-third Congress, who were elected long before the increase was made, and who have been receiving pay ever since last March, been as guilty of violating the agreement as any others? There is nothing in the resolution about them.

There is a great misapprehension in the minds of the people on this subject, which, when I return to my constituents, I expect to show; but I do not propose arguing the subject in this communication. I shall content myself by saying that so far as "principle" is concerned, whether legal or moral, the Forty-second Congress did what they had a right to do, and exactly what every previous Congress which ever voted on the question did, except that they increased the pay less in proportion than any of their predecessors had done. As to their bringing our Government into disrepute, they must content themselves as best they can by remembering that although not so fortunate as the members of the Legislatue, they find themselves in this respect the companions in iniquity of George Washington and James Madison, James Monroe and Nathaniel Macon, and other reprobates, who have at other periods of our history brought our Government into disrepute by similar conduct to that with which we are charged; that is, by approving similar bills, and voting for, and taking, "back" pay.

I would have been glad if the members of the Legislature could have been here last Monday to hear a great and good man discuss this subject—a statesman of the old school—a man without fear and without reproach—A. H. Stepheus, of Georgia. Like all the other great men whom I have named, he has the misfortune to differ from the Legislature in their estimate of the action of Congress. It was very refreshing to listen to his analysis of demagogues and demagognery, as illustrated by the history of this salary business. Perhaps some of them have read what he said, and have enjoyed it, as I did.

But if I and my colleagues have fallen short of our duty, or have incurred popular displeasure, there is certainly no body of men who ought to sympathize more deeply with us than the Legislature of North Carolina. I shall not set myself up in judgment upon them, as they have done towards me, but I extend to them my heartfelt sympathy in their earnest but fruitless efforts to adjust the public debt of the State; to relieve the people of the State from the burdens under which they groan; to arrange fairly the railroad system which threatens to be so disastrous to the people of my district particularly; to provide a rational system of common schools for the education and elevation of the poor children of the State; to arrange some system of immigration, and the various other measures which are of such vital interest to their constituents. Doubtless they have done all they could, although without benefit to the people, and it may have been a soothing solace to them in their dilemma to pause long enough to resolve that Congress was doing indefensible things and bringing our country into disrepute. I hope they feel better, and will continue to be virtuous, which is the only way to be happy.—I am satisfied that none of them would have received "back" pay or even "front" pay under the acts which they condemn, and that the ambition attributed to some of them, of taking our places here, is prompted solely, if it exists, by a burning desire to aid in repealing all the wicked laws with which bad Congressmen have blackened the statute books. Before concluding, let me say that I heard when the Legislature first assembled that they were all in favor of reducing their per diem, but some how they have been unable to accomplish their good intentions. I have heard of whiskey so weak that wouldn't run down hill. How strong is a Legislature which is unanimous for a reduction of pay, but cannot reduce it? With this conundrum I leave you to wrestle.

Respectfully yours,

A. M. WADDELL.

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Wilmington Commandery No. 1,

MEMBERS are hereby notified to assemble at the Asylum on Monday night next at 7:30 o'clock, for the election of officers. A full attendance is desired.

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXISTING Laws, I will offer for sale at public auction, in front of City Hall, at 12 o'clock M. on TUESDAY, the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER (instant,) the following described property, to satisfy the City Taxes, with expenses due thereon and remaining unpaid for the year 1873.

T. C. SERVOSS, Treasurer and Collector.

Supposed Owners Property.	Blocks.	Lots and Parts of Lots	Total Tax & Expense
Armstrong, Emily V	186	w 1	$8 50
Ashe, Simon	236	e 1 2	4 00
Batson, Peter	325	e 1 2	6 02
Beatty, Edward	161	mid 3 4 5	3 00
Becton, John	161	mid 3 4 5	4 00
Bishop, E M	196	w ⅓ 3	25 00
Blossom, Samuel	49	m 4 5 6	113 00
" "	33	w 5 6	
" "	64	w 3	
" "	185	m 3 4 5	
Brock, Martha R	182	e 1	19 30
Brown, Fred J	279	m 1 2	21 30
Bryan, Richard	337	e 2	3 00
Bryan, Duke	174	m 1 2 3	7 20
Burnett, Julia	92	e 1 2 3	17 00
Burnett, James J	278	e 5	36 00
Burnett, John	242	n w 3	4 50
Barry, Mrs M S	192	e 4 5	91 00
Buie, Mrs M J	114	e ½ 3	36 00
Calais, Wm J, agt.	129	w ½ 1 2	130 70
Cantwell, Edward	234	m 3 4 5	57 00
Carr, Thos B	153	n w 2	
"	152	m 1 2	644 70
"	165	m 4 5	
Cassidey, Henry C, for	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	19 60
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"	92	1 2 3 4 5 6	26 00
Cassidey, Frank A L	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	28 40
" " agt	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	15 00
" " trus	99	1-5 int in 3 4 5 6	15 00
Clark, Edward	4	m 6	5 24
Davis, Jackson D	94	w 6	5 50
Davis, Julia E	483	e 1 2 3 4 5	9 00
Dosher, Julius	170	e 3 4 5	81 00
Drane, Virginia L	182	w 1	71 00
Dudley, Mrs Jane A	114	w 6	38 20
Eborn, Edward	50	w 5 6	8 50
Edwards, James	87	e 6	7 00
Ellis, Miss Basheba	127	w 2	35 00
Evans, Julius	37	n w 5	2 00
Fisher, Arthur	95	e 4	4 50
Foster, Mary E	65	e 2 3	9 00
Fisher, Wm	95	m 4	1 50
Galley, James M	266	e 1 2 3	28 50
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Gardner, Tho M, adm	208	w 2	13 00
" " agt	173	m 1 2 3 4 5	64 00
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Grant, Reuben	117	w 6	8 00
Green, Wm A	132	pt 3 4	12 00
Hall, Eli, heirs of	166	m 4 5	443 00
by E D Hall, ex'r	178	w 2 3	
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Hart, Godfrey	498	pt 3 all 4 5 6	19 40
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Hill, Annie	74	e 1	49 00
Holmes, Mason	326	e 2	3 00
Hooper, Charlotte	328	e 1	4 50
Hunt, John R	199	w 5	10 00
Henry, Frank	119	s w ¼ 3	7 00
Johnson, Herbert	3	e 5	3 60
Jones, Abraham	294	w 3 4	11 00
Jones, James	119	s w 6	9 20
Kahnweiler, Mina	183	pt 1 2	43 00
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Kent, Thos H	87	w 3 4 5	50 10
King, Elizabeth	76	w 5 6	17 00
Larrington, Diana	102	e 4 5	6 50
Lewis, Richard	169	m 5	6 00
Lilley, Isaac	91	s e 4	6 20
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Love, Alex C	239	n e 3	90
Love, John D	205	w 1 2 3 4 5 6	123 80
Lumsden, Mrs E A	250	w 3 4 5 6	186 80
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McAllister, Peter	234	w 3	45 30
McClammy, Chas W	61	m 1	7 60
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McCoy, Frank	348	e 5	7 20
McCoy, Robert	149	w 1	3 00
McDonald, Hugh	185	m 1 2 3	14 10
McGwire, John	326	w 1 2	9 00
McGwire, Joseph	326	m 2 3	6 70
McIlhenny, Thos C	510	pt 4 a 5 6	11 40
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McLellan, Marg'rt G	196	e 1 2 w 3	44 00
McMillan, Francis A	262	m 3 4 5	19 30
Maunder, John	150	w 3 4	39 80
Melton, Elizabeth	91	e 5 6	43 00
Merrick, Wm H est of	279	e 3 4	19 00
Miller, Lavinia	284	e 5	2 50
Mitchell, Lucy	294	s w 4	11 00
Moore, James	239	e 2	14 30
Moore, Benj R	233	m 3 4 5	61 80
Moore, Wm H & oth	208	w 4	18 10
Mosely, Abraham	482	w 1 2 3	9 10
Nash, James est of	239	n w 4	6 00
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Oldham, Carney W	101	e 4	28 00
Oldham, Alex	203	e 4	111 90
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Parker, Thos	132	m 5 6	4 50
Payne, Thos est of	281	w 1	9 00
Pierson, John	310	n w 2	9 10
Potter, Henry heirs of	251	m 5	3 00
Price, Alexander	213	m 1 2	5 00
Reed, Hezekiah	221	pt 3 4 5	38 10
Reese, Edward	148	s e 4	5 00
Repiton, Mrs Sarah E	165	e 4 5	111 00
Richardson, Jacob L	242	s w 3	4 00
Robinson, Rebecca	327	m 5	5 00
Roderick, Timothy	286	m 4	3 00
Russ, Robt	50	n w 5 6	8 50
Savage, John H, Sr	37	pt 1 2 3 4	38 20
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Schulken, Martin	47	pt 4 5 6	6 00
Shepherd, Edward	487	m 1 2 3	6 70
Shields, Gustavus C	196	m 6	18 00
Simmons, Alonzo	162	m 1 2 3	7 10
Simpson, Dr Jas F	182	a 3	64 00
Sidburry, John	8	m 6	6 00
Southerland, Chas	81	w 1 2	8 70
Sparrow, Nathaniel	3	m 6	6 00
Stanley, Wm	105	m 6	6 00
Stevenson, Wm M	350	pt 1 2	23 00
Stokely, Jas est of	101	e 5	77 00
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VanAmringe, Stacy	470	e 5 6	31 60
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Vansickle, A H est of	254	e 4	4 00
VanDross, Edward	269	s w 5	4 90
Waddell, Mary H	103	e 1	36 60
Walker, Jas & Sarah	226	a 1 2	17 00
Walker, Rose	279	m 3	31 00
Wedge, Geo H	45	e 6	6 00
Weston, Eliza	175	m 3 4 5	4 04
Williams, Jeffrey	209	w 4	18 40
Willis, William	132	m 5 6	5 50
Woodruff, J H prest	57	e 1 2 3 4	241 00
Wooster, Jno est of	133	e 4 5	253 50
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Wooster, J & Co	43	pt 1 2 3 4 5 6	112 00
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DELINQUENT:

Beasley, Rich'd agt	101	w 6	60
Burke, Mary	266	e 2 3	0
Cabarris & Hopkins	308	e 3	6 00
Craig, H A heirs of	310	e 1 2 3	24 00
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Dickson, J H or unkn	90	w ½ 2	17 00

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Hartman, est of	510	4 5 6	8 00
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Hayes, Mary	48	pt 3 4	3 60
Hughes, Joan	48	pt 6	7 00
Hall, Raphel	79	w 6	9 00
Hankins, Mary	118	m 1	13 00
Hazel, Margaret est	269	m 5	4 00
Martin, Richard,	46	pt 4 5	9 00
Millis, Wesley,	64	n e 3	8 00
Middleton, J M est	217	e 5	151 00
Martin, John	343	m 5	8 00
Swain, Antoni	293	e 5	41 00
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Saturday, December 20th, 1873.

CITY ITEMS.

Signal Service, U. S. Army---Weather Report.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, December 20, 1873.

Time of Observation	Barometer.	Ther	Wind	Weather
7:00 A. M.	30:138	38 deg	N gent	Clear.
1:00 M	30 128	49 "	N fresh	do.
2:00 P. M	30:104	52 "	N fresh	do.

OTTO SCHUTZE,
Observer, U. S A.

PARTIES in need of the best articles of coal and wood in the city, will find it to their interest to patronize the new Yard at corner Front and Mulberry st.

J. A. SPRINGER.

PATRIDGES were retailing in mark t this morning at $1 75 per dozen.

BROUGHT to market during the week: 46 beeves, 150 hogs, 13 sheep, and 10 deer.

THE interments at Pine Forest Cemetery for the week are: 1 child. and 1 adult.

TWO young men charged with annoying a congregation while at worship were required to ante $5 and costs, each, to the city treasury.

REV. W. N. CONOLEY, the new pastor, conducts his first services at Fifth Street Methodist Church at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday) morning.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH.—German service at 11 a m; English service at 7½ p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, (colored Episcopal)—Services on Sunday at 11 o'clock a m, and at 7½ p m. Sunday School at 3 p m at St. Barnabas' school house.

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New York House,
tf 15 Market st.

REV. A. M. CHRIETZBERG, who was pastor of the Front Street Methodist Church in this city some thirty years ago, was expected here yesterday evening, and to remain until after the coming Sabbath.

ANOTHER VICTIM.—The dwelling of Peggy McClammy, next to St. Mark's Church, and opposite the dwelling of Maria McFarland was also entered last night and despoiled of all the money in the family coffer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, corner of Market and Fifth Streets—Elder J. C. Hiden, pastor.—Sunday, December 21, 1873.—Services at 11 a. m., and 7½ p. m. Sunday School at 9½ a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

EFFECTS of panic tremendous :Tum le in prices at

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, corner of Market and Third—Fourth Sunday in Advent. Feast of St. Thomas the Apostle.

Morning Prayer,	11 a m
Evening Prayer,	4 p m

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Dec. 21—Fourth Sunday in Advent—Feast of St. Thomas the Apostle:

Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at	7½ a m
Morning Prayer at	11
Evening Prayer at	7½

To be raffled at Mr. Heinsberger's bookstore, a Silk Quilt and Sofa Cushion, for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum. The raffling will take place on Christmas Eve, if one hundred chances are taken before that time. Mr. Heinsberger, Mr James M. Brown, and the following ladies, Mrs. John Dawson, Mrs. James Hill, Miss Mary Bellamy, Miss Lou Holmes, Miss Annie Kidder, Miss Roe Wiggins, Miss Carrie Meares, are authorized to take the names of persons wishing t raffle.

Journal and Star please copy.

THE CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL.—A pleasant time i expected at the Fair and Festival of the children of St. John's Church in the City Court Room, on Monday evening. Santa Claus will appear in full costume, and will distribute the presents with hich the huge Christmas tree will be loaded. The tickets are only 25 cents piece, and this will entitle the holder to admission, as also to a present from the tree. There will be Christmas toys for sale, a plenty to eat at low prices, and a good time generally will be had, at everybody go,

A fox hunt begun Stokes county, was concluded after a race of six hours in two States and four counties.

THE TOWN CRIER.

— Mild.

— Gold is 110½.

— Fix your sidewalks.

— Go to church to-morrow.

— Christmas has most come.

— Court one week from Monday.

— Get your deeds all fixed before Court.

— There were 184 carts in market the past week.

— And still the foreign vessels come to our port.

— The "fantastics" will be on duty Christmas.

— Lock your front doors, to avoid sneak thieves.

— Sheriff Black is anxious to interview tax payers.

— This is the largest naval store market in the world.

— Warm hearts beat warmer at this season of the year.

— How fast the weeks fly by! Next year is almost here.

— 'Squire Cassidey has gone out of the city for a few days.

— Save some of your Saturday night money for Christmas.

— Knights Templar meet next Monday night for election of officers.

— The Christmas poem which appears to-day, is, to our mind, well worthy of saving. Read it.

— The Bismarck torpedo can be purchased at George Myers'. It is a success as a promoter of fun.

— The children go in crowds to the book and toy stores, and find out what is for sale, and dutifully report the same to their parents. Sly rogues.

— Never was a more delightful winter in this country. Come down here ye shivering dwellers of the Northern land, and patronize our hotels.

Magistrates' Court,

Before T. M. GARDNER, J. P.

James McCarty, charged with abducting sailors from their vessels was fined $50 and costs.

James McCarty, assault and battery, fined $50 and costs.

James McCarty, for contempt of court, was sent to jail for 20 days.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.—Thieves entered the dwelling of Maria McFarland, on Sixth between Chestnut and Mulberry streets, last night and robbed the owner of the house, who also owned one or two small dwelling, of seventy-dollars which she had collected and put away in a box, kept as a recepticle for her earnings.

PICKPOCKET AT WORK.—A colored woman stepped into a store near the corner of Market and Front street on yesterday to get a fifty dollar bill changed and while there she noticed a rather fine looking and well dressed stranger standing near her. She received her change from the storekeeper, and after purchasing some few articles left the store and was shopping about in the different dry goods establishments. The man followed her about until she went into one of the stores on Front street, where he came in just behind her and stood up to the counter very close to her. After purchasing several little articles, the woman put her hand in her pocket to get the money, when to her chagrin she found that the money was gone and the handsome and well dressed stranger had taken his leave.

LOOK OUT FOR THEM.—We have been informed that there are a gang of white men going around to dwellings in the upper portion of the city, pretending to mend clocks, jewelry, etc. These men are invariably found in the passages of the houses wherever the doors happen to be unlocked, and are often very impudent when told to leave. Yesterday one of these scoundrels went to a residence on Seventh street, and finding the door locked, he knocked; the lady of the house answered the knock, and discovering through the transum that it was a peddler of some kind, refused to open the door, as she had been instructed by her husband never to open the door to such characters, and informed him that she had no jewelry which needed repairing. The man walked off as she supposed, but in a very few minutes the individual walked in at the back door. He intormed the lady that it was her place to open the door when he knocked, and commenced to be very impudent; an old colored man, who happened to be cutting wood in the yard heard the insolence offered, and ordered the scoundrel off, who left rather reluctantly. We would advise house keepers to be on the *qui vive* for for these men and be very cautious to keep their doors locked. The is police on the lookout for them, and we hope that we will have the pleasure of chronicleing, in our next issue, the arrest of all the gang.

For the Post.

THAT OTHER CHRISTMAS, 1853.

How queer men are: Oh! I'm so sad
And almost vexed; ain't it too bad,
This morning when I showed to John
Our little Johnnie's stocking on
The nail already, and said dear,
Let's get him something nice this year;
He's old enough to like it so,
And won't you please take time and go
With me to get it, that's a dear.
He said, "Oh! wait another year"—
But maybe it's my heart that's queer.

So strange of John, how could he say,
Oh! "wait a year;" why every day
Has seemed for the past week or so
As though time had forgot to go
Along to Heaven; and now to-night
When I could almost see the bright
Of Johnnie's eyes turn on my face,
Could feel his happy lips replace
The kisses that I gave to him,
And cup of joy was to the brim
O'erflowing; all is dim;

For John has said there is no sense
In doing such things, "sheer nonsense."
And I think, oh! but never mind,
He's always good, and dear, and kind,
I ought to be ashamed to say
Things I have thought this very day.
Of course he loves our baby too,
As well as men can love, or do,
And I'm the one that's strange, I guess,
And better wives would so confess
Before I did—may God him bless.

The baby'll do another year
Without his toys, now not a tear
Am I to shed, for John will see
When with the noon he comes to me
That I've been sorrowing and sad,
And that won't do. Come, little lad,
Now Mother must her darling learn
He can't have all his heart does yearn
For, dear little son, forgive the tear
That's fallen on thy cheek, a year—
Dear John, dear baby—there's a fear
That I shan't "wait another year."

THIS CHRISTMAS, 1873.

To-night, in looking up a deed
Among some papers old and worn,
A scrap so yellow that no heed
I paid to it, all worn and torn,
Came to my hands, and would be read,
And I have written what it said.

My wife and son, dreams, only dreams,
Oh! God, to but that hour recall.
I have no hope for Heaven that seems
So sweet, that I would not give all
To hear her ask again in fear,
And tell her "Yes," nor wait a year.

Again I see the room, the morn,
My girl-wife standing by my knee,
My little son with curls just shorn
To make him seem a boy to me;
And hear her ask that boon in fear,
And hear me say, "another year."

I see the shading of her eyes,
And now I know 'twas tears behind.
I see her bodice fall and rise
At thinking I was so unkind;
And see the little sock hung near
I said could wait another year,

The little stocking never grew,
Nor ever held a toy at all,
Before the year again was new
They both had heard the Angel call;
And since that time, with saddest tears,
I've waited through the crawling years
With faintest hope, and strongest fear,
God, and my own, forgive that year.

SCOTT.

PROPERTY owners whose sidewalks

OWING to the late panic we will sel until January 1st, our entire stock at 25 per cent. less than New York cost.

S. HANSTEIN & Co's
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ON yesterday a couple of sailors stopped at the residence of a widow lady on Market street and asked for something to eat. The lady being a little afraid of the men, told them that she had nothing that she could give them The men became insulting, and replied that they would go in and take what they wanted. Fortunately footsteps were heard on the pavement in front of the house and the men left before any one could come to the assistance of the lady.

KIDNAPPER CAUGHT.—Last night about 12 o'clock, a man answering to the name of James McCarthy was seen by the captain of one of the Norwegian vessels lying at the wharf on this side of the river, lurking about the forecastle, trying to induce the seamen to desert. The captain ordered the intruder to leave the ship, which he did, but immediately returned, and upon being ordered the second time to leave he threatened to shoot the captain. The mate and carpenter was summoned to the captain's assistance, and as they ran up on deck McCarthy was in the act of pulling out his pistol, but before he could put his threats into execution the carpenter pounced upon his back, threw him on deck, and tied him hand and foot, with the assistance of the officers, and carried him in the cabin, where he was kept until morning, when he was turned over to the civil authorities. McCarthy was tried before 'Squire Gardner this morning, when the above and the following information was elicited: McCarthy visited the vessel yesterday morning, and in the afternoon two of the seamen deserted, and about dusk the deserters entered the forecastle clandestinely, secured their clothes, and left immediately. The accused is apparently a seaman, and has not been here very long, as the detectives do not remember of ever having seen him before.

Hogs are dying rapidly in Union county and in fact all over the State.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 20.

Eighty leading firms of this city have signed a protest, addressed to the U. S. Senate, against the repeal of the bankrupt law, but admit that the law needs amendment in many of its provisions.

Brooklyn investigations show many fraudulent coroner's inquests, and six hundred and twenty-three bogus small pox cases.

The Virginius has three feet water in her hold, and is leaking.

A revenue cutter en route from Key West for Havana, went ashore.

The transfer of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph lines to the Western Union was completed yesterday. The Pacific and Atlantic has five thousand miles of line, and ten thousand miles of wire.

CUBA.

HAVANA, Dec. 20.

The office of the Diaro was entered by burglars early this morning. The administrator and his nephew were tied und gagged, and their lives threatened. The burglars, after securing about $28,000, decamped.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 20.

A dispatch from New Mexico says that an attempt to arrest certain parties across the Mexican line resulted in the killing of the sheriff and another person.

CABLE DISPATCHES.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, December 20.

Special dispatches from Madrid say that there is great rejoicing over the rumor that the Government of the United States has decided that the Virginius was not entitled to carry the American flag.

The Times, commenting on the report, says that such a decision would be consistent with truth and justice.

The report that Bartholdy of the French Legation at St. Petersburg, had been appointed Minister to Washington, is confirmed.

The Monroe *Enquierer* says an eagle measuring seven feet from tip to tip was killed in Union county lately. Decidedly a spread eagle story.

Judges Bond and Brooks have filed their decision in the Swazey case. It refuses to grant the order of sale of the State's stock to pay accrued interest on the bonds of the road.

Grades of Rosin Adopted by the Produce Exchange.

A	Black	G	Low No. 1
B	Common Strained	H	No. 1
C	Strained	I	Extra No. 1
D	Good Strained	K	Low pale
E	No. 2	M	pale
F	Extra No. 2	N	Extra pale

Window glass and water white grades not lettered.

Some persons grade one grade higher, beginning with I and running to N.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

SATURDAY, Dec. 20—3:30 P. M.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—No sales reported—38½ cents bid.

ROSIN—Sales last evening of 2,400 bbls. of Strained at $2 15, and 2,000 bbls. of good Strained this morning at $2 25.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 575 bbls. at $2 for hard, and $2 95 for yellow dip.

TAR—Sales of 129 bbls at $2 20 per bbl.

COTTON—Sales of 200 bales last evening and this morning at 13¾ to 14½ cents per lb. We quote the market quiet.

Ordinary,	11½ cents ₱ lb.
Good Ordinary,	13¼ " "
Strict Good Ordinary,	13¾ " "
Low Middling,	14 " "
Strict Low Middling,	14¼ " "
Middling,	14½ " "
Strict Middling,	14¾ " "

Receipts per railroad of naval stores as appears on the bulletin board of the Produce Exchange Dec. 20:

Cotton, (bales)	228
Spirits Turpentine, (bbls.,)	613
Rosin, (bbls.,)	618
Crude Turpentine, (bbls,)	275
Tar, (bbls,)	136

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.

Cotton quiet—sales of 500 bales—Uplands 16; Orleans 16⅜. Futures opened as follows: December 15¼; January 15 5-16 to 15¾; February 15 13-16 to 15¾; March, 16 3-16 to 16¼; April 16 9-16. Flour dull and heavy. Wheat quiet and declining. Corn dull and unchanged. Pork quiet—mess $16. Lard heavy—steam 8 11-16 cts. Naval Stores steady. Spirits Turpentine 42 cents. Rosin $2 55 to $2 60 for strained.—Freights firm.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 20.

Cotton easier and not quotably lower Uplands 8¼d.; Orleans 8⅝d. to 8¾.—Sales of 10,000 bales to speculators and 2,000 to exporters.

Uplands not below Good Ordinary shipped March, November, December and January, 8⅝d.

LATER.

Sales include 6,500 American.

Uplands not below Good Ordinary shipped November, December and January 8⅝d.

Uplands not below Good Ordinary delivered January and February, 8⅝d.

Breadstuffs quiet. Lard 40s. 6d. Pork 62s. 6d.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.

Gold opened 110¾. Stocks dull.—Money 7 per cent. bid. Gold 110½.—Sterling Exchange—long, 108¾; short, 109⅝. Government bonds dull and lower. State bonds quiet.

LONDON, Dec. 20.

Small sales American Securities.—Prices unchanged.

Erie 36¾.

PARIS, Dec. 20.

Rentes 58f. 30c.

MARINE.

Port of Wilmington, Dec. 20, 1873

ARRIVED.

Steamer Caswell, Henry, Bannerman's Landing, A H VanBokkelen.

Norwegian Barque Syna, Petersen, Bristol, R E Heide.

Norwegian Brig Soskeeinmeron, ——, Bremenhaven, R E Heide.

German Brig Dorothea, Zepene, Glasgow, E Peschau.

German Brig Fanchon, Voss, Gloucester, E Peschau.

Norwegian Barque Arnon, Greuiderson, Hamburg, R E Heide.

Nor Bark Viking, Hansen, Greenock, (55 days) Heide Bros.

Steamship Raleigh, Oliver, Baltimore, A D Cazauz.

Steamer D Murchison, Garrison, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.

CLEARED.

Steamer Caswell, Henry, Bannerman's Landing, A H VanBokkelen.

Steamship Rebecca Clyde, Childs, Baltimore, A D Cazaux.

Schr John, Gabriel, New York, Williams & Murchison.

German Barque Elise & Anna, Wendt, Cork or Falmouth, for orders, Willard Bros.

Ger Barquentine Leda, Miller, London, Willard Bros.

Brig Nellie Mitchell, Cody, Port au Prince, J H Chadbourn & Co.

Steamer D Murchison, Garrison, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.

RECEIPTS.

PER RIVER STEAMERS, &c.

Steamer Caswell—3 bales cotton, 47 bbls. rosin, 97 do. crude turpentine, 60 do. tar.

Steamer Murchison—100 bbls spirits, 96 do. rosin, 50 do. turpentine, 55 bales cotton.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

New York—Schr. John—2,000 bbls. rosin, 198 bales cotton, 4 tierces, 4 bbls, 1 bdle copper.

Baltimore—Steamship Rebecca Clyde—40 casks spirits turpentine, 606 bbls. rosin, 20 bales sheeting, 230 do. cotton, 29 bbls. pitch, 25 do. tar, 45,000 feet lumber, 28 bales dry hides, 3 pkgs mdze.

FOREIGN.

Port au Prince—Brig Nellie Mitchell—119,141 feet lumber, 136,839 shingles.

Cork or Falmouth for orders—German Barque Elise & Anna—2,709 bbls rosin.

London—German Barquentine Leda—1,500 casks spirits turpentine, 955 bbls rosin.

STATE ITEMS.

Salem wants a paper mill.

The Bergers exhibited in Salem Thursday night.

Representative Stanford of Duplin is convalescing.

Terrapins sell in Newbern for ten dollars a dozen.

The recess of the General Assembly for the holidays commences next Monday.

Luncville, on Carolina Central Railway is no more; but Polkton takes its place.

The Winston *Sntinel* brags of the numerous tobacco warehouses in that town.

Business seems to be reviving in all parts of the State—so our exchanges inform us.

Christmas trees are getting common in this State; so we infer from the numerous items of our exchanges.

A drove of two hundred hogs—200 in number—passed through Monroe the other day. This was the first since the war.

Shotguns settled a dispute between Messrs. Brantly and Sumner in Northampton county. It is thought the former will not recover.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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dec 19—1w

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

ALL PERSONS who still owe their State and county Taxes will save costs by settling before the 25th of December, 1873. After that date I shall proceed to advertise and sell property for taxes.

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Journal and Star copy 3t.

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NOTICE.

SPECIAL TERM OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

HAVING been notified by his Excellency, Tod R. Caldwell, Governor, that a Special Term of the Superior Court of New Hanover county will be held for said county, commencing on Mouday, the 29th day of December, 1873, and continuing until the business is disposed of. Said Court will be for the trial of Civil and Criminal cases, and this is to give notice to all parties interested.

SILAS N. MARTIN,
Chairman County Commissioners,
New Hanover county.

Dec 5 172-2w.
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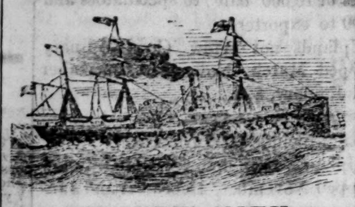

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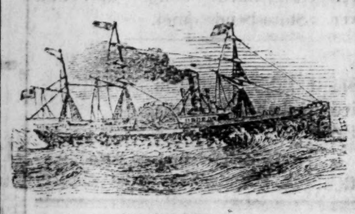

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